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PASS STR ELECTRONICALLY FOR AMB. STRAUSS AND AMB. WOLF
STATE FOR UNDER SECRETARY COOPER AND ASST. SECRETARY KATZ
GENEVA ALSO FOR USMTN

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ETRD, EEC

SUBJ: KEEPING TEXTILES MOVING

REF: (A) GENEVA 10910, (B) GENEVA 10944, (C) BRUSSELS
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1. THE TEXTILE SITUATION IS MESSY AND DANGEROUS AND
GENEVA CONCEIVABLY COULD BE RIGHT IN PUSHING THE PANIC
BUTTON (SEE REFTELS A AND B). HOWEVER, MY PERCEPTION
IS THAT THE SITUATION IS NOT YET DRAMATIC AND IS UNLIKELY
TO BECOME SO AT LEAST UNTIL EARLY DECEMBER.

2. I'LL CHAT A BIT MORE WITH DAVIGNON NOVEMBER 25,
AGREE STRAUSS SHOULD REVIEW WITH HAFERKAMP AND BELIEVE
THAT CONTINUING INFORMAL MIDDLE LEVEL EXPRESSION OF
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CONCERN, PARTICULARLY TO BRITISH, IS DESIRABLE TO
PREPARE WAY FOR MAJOR EFFORT THAT MAY WELL BE NEEDED
PRIOR TO CRUCIAL EC COUNCIL MEETING DECEMBER 19.

3. MAY I REMIND THE NERVOUS NELLIES THAT STRAUSS,
HAFERKAMP AND DAVIGNON AGREED IN WASHINGTON WE WOULD
ASSESS SITUATION AT END OF NOVEMBER, THAT SMITH AND

TRAN ARE SCHEDULED TO MEET DECEMBER 3 OR 4, THAT
US-EC-JAPAN TRILATERALS ARE LIKELY DECEMBER 4 OR 5,
THAT TEXTILE COMMITTEE MEETS DECEMBER 5/6, AND THAT TRAN
HAS ALREADY MADE SOUND SUGGESTION (REFTEL C) AS TO HOW
WE CAN HELP AT RIGHT TIME.

4. I WISH ALL CONCERNED A HAPPY THANKSGIVING. HINTON

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